# STATE FOREST HEADQUARTERS, ODISHA OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS & HoFF PLOT NO. GD-2/12, ARANYA BHAWAN, CHANDRASEKHARPUR BHUBANESWAR-751023

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No. 10019 Dated, Bhubaneswar the /9F (Irrig) - 3/2021 3 th May' 2022

From

Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act) O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

To

The Deputy Director General of Forests (Central)
Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change
Integrated Regional Office, A/3, Chandrasekharpur
Bhubaneswar-751023

Sub:- Diversion of 310.110 ha of forest land for construction of Right Main Canal and Distributary etc in Kanupur Irrigation Canal System under Keonjhar Forest Division in Keonjhar District by Executive Engineer, Kanupur Canal Division, Jhumpura of Water Resource Department, Government of Odisha – Compliance of GoI observations regarding.

Ref:- Gol, MoEF & CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar Letter No. 5-ORA472/2021-BHU dated 08.03.2022 of Deputy Inspector General of Forests(C).

In reference to the Govt. of India, MoEF & CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar letter cited above on the captioned subject, the compliance to the observations is furnished below-:

Observation 1-: PF/RF notification has not been done so far in respect of 235.269 ha of non-forest land identified for Kanpur Irrigation Project.

Compliance: a) The PF notification proposal in respect of 29.6496 Acre or 11.998 ha in village Bhaliadal in two patches (Patch I:5.0424 ha & Patch II:6.9564 ha) under Keonjhar (Now Banspal) Tahasil of Keonjhar District of Keonjhar Forest Division which has been transferred and mutated in favour of State Forest Department has already been declared as "Bhaliadal Protected Forests" under Section-33 of Orissa Forest Act,1972 vide Lr. No. 8865/FE&CC dated 12.05.2022 of OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government. A copy of the said Notification is enclosed as Annexure-I.



- b) The PF notification proposal in respect of 126.11 Acre or 51.04 ha in village Basantapura in two patches (Patch I:40.15 ha & Patch II:10.89 ha) under Ghasipura Tahasil of Keonjhar District of Keonjhar(WL) Division, Anandapur which has been transferred and mutated in favour of State Forest Department has already been declared as "Basantapura Protected Forests" under Section-33 of Orissa Forest Act,1972 vide Lr. No. 8221/FE&CC dated 04.05.2022 of OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government. A copy of the said Notification is enclosed as Annexure-II.
- c) The PF notification proposal in respect of 365.00 Acre or 147.71 ha in village Jhinkipita under Ghasipura Tahasil of Keonjhar District of Keonjhar(WL) Division, Anandapur which has already been transferred and mutated in favour of State Forest Department has been declared as "Jhinkipita Protected Forests" under Section-33 of Orissa Forest Act,1972 vide Lr. No. 8872/FE&CC dated 12.05.2022 of OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government. A copy of the said Notification is enclosed as Annexure-III.
- d) The PF notification proposal in respect of 60.35 Acre or 24.42 ha in village Bada-Ekatali under Anandapur Tahasil of Keonjhar District of Keonjhar(WL) Division, Anandapur which has been transferred and mutated in favour of State Forest Department has already been declared as "Bada-Ekatali Protected Forests" under Section-33 of Orissa Forest Act,1972 vide Lr. No. 8228/FE&CC dated 04.05.2022 of OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government. A copy of the said Notification is enclosed as Annexure-IV.

Observation 2-: As per report of State Government, it is not clear from the reply as to whether, any tree were felled during the construction in 2012 & 2013.

<u>Compliance-:</u> As reported by the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division, there was no information on illicit felling of trees nor any tree felling permission was given by the then DFO, Keonjhar Division during the year 2012 & 2013. No trees were felled during the year 2012 & 2013 for the above purpose as reported by the DFO. The compliance report of DFO, Keonjhar Division is enclosed as **Annexure-V**.

This is for kind information and necessary action.

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully

Chief Conservator of Forests
(Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act)

10020 13-05 2022 /Dt. Memo No. Copy along with one set of compliance forwarded to the Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action with reference to GoI, MoEF & CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar Letter No. 5-ORA472/2021-BHU dated 08.03.2022 of Deputy Inspector General of Forests(C). Encl: As above Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act) 10021 /Dt. 13.05 2022 Copy forwarded to the RCCF, Rourkela Circle for information and necessary action. Chief Conservator of Forests 2 (Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act) 10022 /Dt. 13.05 2022 Memo No. Copy forwarded to the Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Forest Division for information and necessary action with reference to his memo No. 2783 dated 16.04.2022. Chief Conservator of Forests 2 (Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act) 10023 Memo No. /Dt. 13.05 2022 Copy forwarded to the Executive Engineer, Kanupur Canal Division, Jhumpura, Keonjhar, Odisha for information and necessary action with reference to GoI, MoEF & CC. IRO, Bhubaneswar Letter No. 5-ORA472/2021-BHU dated 08.03.2022 of Deputy Inspector General of Forests(C).

Chief Conservator of Forests
(Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act)

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#### FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

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**NOTIFICATION** 

No.FE-DIV-FLD-0032-2022-8928 /FE&CC, Date 04-05-29

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In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 33 of the Odisha Forest Act, 1972 (Odisha Act 14 of 1972), the State Government do hereby declare that the following land situated in Village-Bada-Ekatali under Anandpur Tahasil in the District of Keonjhar mutated and transferred in favour of Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department for the purpose of raising Compensatory Afforestation thereon against the approved diversion of forest land for construction of Kanupur Major Irrigation Project vide order No.8-261/88-FC, dt.04.07.1989 of Government of India, Ministry of Environment & Forests (Deptt. of Environment, Forests and Wildlife), New Delhi under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, the limits of which are specified below and the area of which is 24.42 ha (60.35 acres), shall be 'Protected Forest' with effect from the date of issue of the Notification and shall be known as "Bada-Ekatali Protected Forest".

#### Forest Block:

Name of the Protected Forest

Bada-Ekatali Protected Forest

Area in Ac.

60.35 Ac

Area in Ha

24.42 ha

Name of the Village

Bada-Ekatali

Name of the Police Station

Anandpur

Name of the Tahasil

Anandpur

Name of the Sub-Division

Anandpur

Name of the District

Keonjhar

#### Land Schedule:

Village	Khata No.	Plot No.	Kissam	Total area	<b>Boundary Description</b>		n	
			in Ac.	North	South	East	West	
Bada-	233/	1081/	Parbat	60.35	Plot No.	Plot No.	Plot No.	Plot No.



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			Total	60.35 A	c or 24.42	ha		
Ekatali	135	1287/ 2046			1287 (P) & 1386	1099 & 1101	649, 650, 742, 745	98, 99, 100, 103

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(DR. MONA SHARMA)

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By e-mail: deputydirectorpp@rediffmail.c	com
Memo No. 8229 /FE&CC Date	04.05:22
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OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

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Date 04-05:22

Copy forwarded to the Revenue & Disaster Management Deptt./ Director of Land Records and Survey, Odisha, Cuttack/ R.D.C. (N.D.) Sambalpur, Dist.-Sambalpur/ Collector, Keonjhar/ Tahasildar-Anandpur, Dist.-Keonjhar for information and necessary action.

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of Forests & HoFF, Odisha/ CCF, Odisha/ Regional Chief sts, Rourkela Circle/ Field Director, Similipal Tiger Reserve-cum-RCCF, Baripada Circle/ Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Forest Division/ Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar (WL) Division, Anandapur for information and necessary action.

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

Memo No. 8238/FE&CC Date 04-05-29

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Memo No. 8234/FE&CC

Date 04-05-22

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#### **GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA**

#### FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

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#### NOTIFICATION

No.FE-DIV-FLD-0032-2022- 829 /FE&CC, Date 04 . 05 29

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In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 33 of the Odisha Forest Act, 1972 (Odisha Act 14 of 1972), the State Government do hereby declare that the following land situated in Village-Basantapura under Ghasipura Tahasil in the District of Keonjhar mutated and transferred in favour of Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department for the purpose of raising Compensatory Afforestation thereon against the approved diversion of forest land for construction of Kanupur Major Irrigation Project vide order No.8-261/88-FC, dt.04.07.1989 of Government of India, Ministry of Environment & Forests (Deptt. of Environment, Forests and Wildlife), New Delhi under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, the limits of which are specified below and the area of which is 51.04 ha (126.11 acres), shall be 'Protected Forest' with effect from the date of issue of the Notification and shall be known as "Basantapura Protected Forest".

#### Forest Block:

Name of the Protected Forest : Basantapura Protected Forest

Patch-I Patch-II Total

Area in Ac. : 99.21 26.90 126.11 Ac.

Area in Ha : 40.15 10.89 51.04 Ha.

Name of the Village : Basantapura

Name of the Police Station : Anandpur

Name of the Tahasil : Ghasipura

Name of the Sub-Division : Anandpur

Name of the District : Keonjhar

#### Land Schedule:

Village	Khata No.	Plot No.	Kissam	Total area		Boundary Description				
		- 4		in Ac.	North	South	East	West	Patch	
Basantapura	596/6	196/ 4259	Parbat-	20.33	Plot No. 197	Plot No. 216	Plot No. 218	Plot No. 197	Patch-I	
450		216	Parbat-I	34.08	Plot No.	Plot No.	Plot No.	Plot No.		



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		Total	126.11	Ac or 51.04	ha			
	4/ 4260	Parbat-I	26.90	Plot No. 4 (P)	Plot No. 9	Plot No.	Plot No.	Patch-
	218	Parbat-I	21.40	Plot No. 193, 192, 190, 188, 222	Plot No. 217	Plot No. 224, 225 (P)	Plot No. 196/4259	
	217	Parbat-I	23.40	Plot No. 218	Plot No. 230, 231, 232, 212, 213	Plot No.229, 225 (P)	Plot No. 216	
			gran Tidas	196/ 4259	209, 213, 215, 208, 207	217	181, 199	

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(DR. MONA SHARMA)

Additional Chief Secretary to Government

OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government

By e:mail: deputydirectorpp@rediffmail.com	
Memo No. 8222 /FE&CC Date _	04-05-29
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Odisha Cuttack for publication in an extra-ordi	inary issue of the Odisha Gazette and supply 10 copies of
printed notification each to Forest, Environment	nt & Climate Change Department.
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0000	OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government
Memo No. 8220 /FE&CC Date	24-05.22
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Environment & Forest and Climate Change,	(F.C. Division), Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh,
Aliganj Road, New Delhi-110003/ Deputy I	Director General of Forests (Central), Govt. of India,
MoEF&CC, Integrated Regional Office, A/3, (	Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar-23 for information and
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necessary action.

Memo No. 8294 /FE&CC Date 04-05-29	
Copy forwarded to the Revenue & Disaster Management Deptt./ Director of Land Records Survey, Odisha, Cuttack/ R.D.C. (N.D.) Sambalpur, DistSambalpur/ Collector, Keonjhar/ Tahasi Ghasipura,/ Tahasilldar-Anandapur, DistKeonjhar for information and necessary action.	ilda
Memo No. 8225 /FE&CC Date 04-05-29	ne
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#### **GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA**

## FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

#### **NOTIFICATION**

/FE&CC, Date 12-05-22 No.FE-DIV-FLD-0032-2022-

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In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 33 of the Odisha Forest Act, 1972 (Odisha Act 14 of 1972), the State Government do hereby declare that the following land situated in Village-Jhinkipita under Ghasipura Tahasil in the District of Keonjhar mutated and transferred in favour of Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department for the purpose of Compensatory Afforestation against the approved diversion of forest land for construction of Kanupur Major Irrigation Project vide order No.8-261/88-FC, dt.04.07.1989 of Government of India, Ministry of Environment & Forests (Deptt. of Environment, Forests and Wildlife), New Delhi under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, the limits of which are specified below and the area of which is 147.71 ha (365.00 acres), shall be 'Protected Forests' with effect from the date of issue of the Notification and shall be known as "Jhinkipita Protected Forest".

#### Forest Block:

Name of the Protected Forest

Jhinkipita Protected Forest

Area in Ac.

365.00 Ac

Area in Ha

147.71 ha

Name of the Village

**Jhinkipita** 

Name of the Police Station

Ghasipura

Name of the Tahasil

Ghasipura

Name of the Sub-Division

Anandpur

Name of the District

Keonjhar

#### Land Schedule:

Village	Khata No.	Plot No.	Kissam	Total area in	Boundary Description		1	
		Ac	Ac.	North	South	East	West	
Jhinkipita	22/161	55/ 883	Parbat-II	80.00	Plot No. 55 (P), Atei Protected Forest	Plot No. 514/ 887	Boundary of Jhinkipita	Plot No. 58 & 53 (P)



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	141/ 884	Patharabani	60.00	Plot No. 58	Plot No. 141 (P) & 145	Plot No. 514/ 887	Plot No. 172/ 885, 139, 140
	172/ 885	Parbat-II	50.00	Plot No. 172 (P), 136, 128	Plot No. 163	Plot No. 141/ 884	Plot No. 123
	329/ 886	Patharabani	25.00	Plot No. 141/ 884, 514/887	Plot No. 335, 336 & 329 (P)	Plot No. 514/ 887	Plot No. 327, 318
1	514/ 887	Parbat-II	150.00	Plot No. 55/ 883	Plot No. 512, 513	Boundary of Jhinkipita	Plot No. 329/ 886, 141/884
		Total	365.00	Ac or 147.7	l ha		

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Additional Chief Secretary to Government

By e:mail: deputydirectorpp@rediffmail.com
Memo No. 8873 /FE&CC Date 12 05 99
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OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government
Memo No. 8879 /FE&CC Date 12-05-22
Copy forwarded to the Assistant Inspector General of Forests, Govt. of India, Ministry of Environment & Forest and Climate Change, (F.C. Division), Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh, Aliganj Road, New Delhi-110003/ Deputy Director General of Forests (Central), Govt. of India, MoEF&CC, Integrated Regional Office, A/3, Chandrasekharpur, Bhubaneswar-23 for information and

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necessary action.

Memo No. 8875 /FE&CC Date 12-05-22
Copy forwarded to the Revenue & Disaster Management Deptt./ Director of Land Records and Survey, Odisha, Cuttack/ R.D.C. (N.D.) Sambalpur, DistSambalpur/ Collector, Keonjhar/ Tahasildar-Anandpur, DistKeonjhar/ Tahasildar-Ghasipura, DistKeonjhar for information and necessary action.  OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government Memo No.   8876   /FE&CC Date   /2-05-99
Copy forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha/ Chief Conservator of Forests (FD & NO) FC Act, O/o the PCCF, Odisha/ Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Rourkela Circle/ Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Forest Division for information and necessary action.
OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Government Memo No. 8877 /FE&CC Date 12-05-22
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Memo No. 8878 /FE&CC Date 19.05.99
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#### **GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA**

#### FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT



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NOTIFICATION

No.FE-DIV-FLD-0032-2022-8865 /FE&CC, Date 12-05-22

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In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 33 of the Odisha Forest Act, 1972 (Odisha Act 14 of 1972), the State Government do hereby declare that the following land situated in Village-Bhaliadal under Bansapal Tahasil of Keonjhar District mutated and transferred in favour of Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department for the purpose of Compensatory Afforestation against the approved diversion of forest land for construction of Kanupur Major Irrigation Project vide order No.8-261/88-FC, dt.04.07.1989 of Government of India, Ministry of Environment & Forests (Deptt. of Environment, Forests and Wildlife), New Delhi under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, the limits of which are specified below and the area of which is 11.9988 ha (29.6496 acres), shall be 'Protected Forests' with effect from the date of issue of the Notification and shall be known as "Bhaliadal Protected Forest".

#### Forest Block:

Name of the Protected Forest : Bhaliadal Protected Forest

Patch-I Patch-II Total

Area in Ac. : 12.4600 17.1896 29.6496 Ac.

Area in Ha 5.0424 6.9564 11.9988 Ha.

Name of the Village : Bhaliadal

Name of the Police Station : Keonjhar Sadar

Name of the Tahasil : Bansapal

Name of the Sub-Division : Keonjhar

Name of the District : Keonjhar

#### Land Schedule:

Village	Khata No.	Plot No.	Kissam	Total area in		Boundary Description		<b>Boundary Description</b>		
				Ha.	North	South	East	West	Patch	
Bhaliadal	21/5	1/735	Jungle	2.9786	Plot No.	Plot No. 1&2	Plot No. 174/736	Plot No.	Patch-I	
		174/736	.adi	2.0638	Plot No.	Plot No.	Plot No.	Plot No.		



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			174	174	174	1/735	
	175/737	4.1480	Plot No. 175	Plot No. 176/738	Plot No. 175	Plot No. 174/742	Patch-II
	176/738	2.4240	Plot No. 175/737	Plot No. 176	Plot No. 176	Plot No. 174/742	
	174/742	0.3844	Plot No. 174	Plot No. 174	Plot No. 175/737 & 176/738	Plot No. 174	
7 1	To	otal 11.9988 I	l Ha. or 29.64	196 Ac.			

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by e-mail: deputydirectorpp@rediffmail.com	
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Memo No. 8868 /FE&CC Date 12-05-92	
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Survey, Odisha, Cuttack/ R.D.C. (N.D.) Sambalpur, DistSambalpur/ Collector	r, Keonjhar/ Tahasildar-

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Bansapal, Dist.-Keonjhar/ Tahasildar-Keonjhar, Dist.-Keonjhar for information and necessary action.

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Memo No. 8869 /FE&CC Date 12-05-22
Copy forwarded to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Odisha/ Chief Conservator of Forests (FD & NO) FC Act, O/o the PCCF, Odisha/ Regional Chief Conservator of Forests, Rourkela Circle/ Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Forest Division for information and
necessary action.
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Memo No. 8870 /FE&CC Date 12-05-92
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## OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, KEONJHAR DIVISION

Phone No- 06766-254315, email ID- dfo.keonjhar@odishagov.in

Memo No. 2783 / 6F-Mining – 05/2017 Dated, Keonjhar the / 6F-Mining – 05/2017

To

The Chief Conservator of Forests, Forest Diversion & Nodal Officer, FC Act, O/o- the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.

Sub:

Diversion of 310.110 ha forest land for construction of Right Main Canal and distributary etc. in Kanpur Irrigation Canal System under Keonjhar Forest Division in Keonjhar District by Executive Engineer, Kanpur Canal Division Jhumpura of Water Resource Department, Govt. of Odisha-Gol observations regarding.

Ref:

This office memo No 2780 dtd. 16.04.2022, your memo No.7780 dated 04.04.2022 & Letter No.5-ORA472/2021-BHU dated 08.03.2022 of Dy. Inspector of General of Forest (C), MoEF&CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar.

In continuation to this office memo cited above on the captioned subject, the revised point wise compliance to the observation noticed by the Dy. Inspector of General of Forest (C), MoEF&CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar is furnished below:-

1) PF Notification proposal under Section -33 of Orissa Forest Act, 1972 for declaration on non-forest land of village "Bhaliadal" measuring 12.00 ha as protected Forest pertaining to your jurisdiction should be furnished with all connected record and documents for onward transmission to the State Government.

The draft PF notification proposal over an area of 11.9988 ha non-forest Govt. land identified in village- Bhaliadal under Keonjhar Tahasil (now under Banspal Tahasil) has been sent to your good office vide this office Memo No.2699/6F-Mining-305/2018 dt.12.04.2022 (Copy enclosed) for declaration of PF Under Section 33 of Orisha Forest Act 1972.

2) You are requested to clearly intimate whether any trees were felled during the construction in 2012 & 2013. A details report may be furnished.

There was no any information from Range Officer, Champua of any illicit tree felling during that time nor any tree felling permission was given from this office during the year 2012 and 2013 in forest area for construction of Right Main Canal and distributary etc. in Kanpur Irrigation Canal System under Keonjhar Forest Division in Keonjhar District by Executive Engineer, Kanpur Canal Division Jhumpura. So there was no any tree felled during the year 2012 & 2013 for the above purpose.

This is for favour of your kind information and pecessary action.

Encl:-As above.

Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Division. 10/

Memo No. 2784 / Dated 16.04.2022

Copy submitted to the Regional Chief Conservator of Forest, Rourkela Circle, Rourkela for favour of kind information and necessary action.

Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Division.

Memo No. 2785 / Dated 16.04.2022

Copy submitted to the Executive Engineer, Kanupur Canal Division, Jhumpura, Keonjhar for favour of kind information and necessary action.

Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Division.

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## STATE FOREST HEADQUARTERS OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS & Hoff, Odisha, ARANYA BHAWAN, CHANDRASEKHARPUR, BHUBANESWAR

E-mail: nodal.pccfhoff@odisha.gov.in

No. 2793 Dated, Bhubaneswar the

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From

Smt Pusazhule Mekro, IFS Principal CCF (FD & NO, FC Act) O/o the PCCF & HoFF, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

To

The Deputy Director General of Forests (Central) Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change Integrated Regional Office, A/3, Chandrasekharpur Bhubaneswar-751023

Sub:- Diversion of 310.110 ha of forest land for construction of Right Main Canal and Distributary etc in Kanupur Irrigation Canal System under Keonjhar Forest Division in Keonjhar District by Executive Engineer, Kanupur Canal Division, Jhumpura of Water Resource Department, Government of Odisha – Compliance of GoI observations regarding.

Ref:- GoI, MoEF & CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar Letter No. 5-ORA472/2021-BHU dated 20.10.2021.

In inviting a reference to the Govt. of India, MoEF & CC, IRO, Bhubaneswar letter cited above on the captioned subject, the compliance to the observations basing on the reports of the DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division and RCCF, Rourkela Circle is furnished below-:

a. As per KML file in Google Imagery, the user agency has already constructed canal in Kaliakaprasad RF and some Revenue Forest land in violation of FC Act, 1980 which was corroborated during the site inspection. Detail and extent of violations, including the name & designation of officials prima facie found guilty along with names of DFOs/CF/RCCF posted in the project Forest Division/ Circle from 2016 to 2021 and Action Taken Report be submitted to the IRO, Bhubaneswar.

The DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division has reported that 8.00 ha in Kalikaprasad RF area to be diverted has already been broken up and the main canal has been constructed. Further he has reported that as intimated by the Asst. Engineer, Kanpur Irrigation Project, work was executed during 2012 & 2013. He has mentioned that the fact is corroborated from Google time line showing the historical imagery which is enclosed as **Annexure-1**. Violation of FCA has been informed to Govt. for initiating action against the erring staff.



b. As per DSS, the Irrigation canal corridor and CA land identified in Ukhunda RF is overlapping each other, clarification may be furnished in this regard.

The RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that during Site Inspection by DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division on dated 11.11.2021 and on verification through Google Earth it is seen that the Kanpur Irrigation Canal Corridor is passing through identified CA site over an area of 3.77 ha which is excluded from identified CA site of Ukhunda RF. Therefore, the CA land identified in Ukhunda RF is not overlapping each other. The map showing in Google Earth is enclosed as **Annexure-2**.

c. The State Govt. has reported that 59,931 nos. of trees has been enumerated over the proposed forest land of 310.110 ha. Details of trees enumerated and actually felled over the proposed forest land may be furnished, since construction has already been done at the proposed forest land.

The RCCF, Rourkela Circle has reported that the diversion proposal over 310.110 ha has been applied by the user agency vide proposal No. FP/OR/IRRIG/40827/2019. For processing of diversion proposal, the concerned Range Officer was requested to take up detailed tree enumeration during the year 2018. Accordingly, the Range Officer concerned had taken up tree enumeration over the proposed forest land over 310.110 ha. No tree has yet been felled out of the enumerated 59,931 trees.

d. The State Govt. has not furnished compliance report of stipulated conditions of final approval granted by Ministry vide letter No. 8-261/88-FC dated 04.07.1989 for diversion of 235.269 ha of forest land for Kanpur Major Irrigation Project. Further, the non-forest land identified for CA over 235.269 ha against Kanpur Major Irrigation Project has not been declared as PF/RF by the State Govt. till date.

The DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division has submitted the compliance report of the conditions of final approval granted by Ministry vide Letter No. 8-261/88-FC dated 04.07.1989 for diversion of 235.269 ha of forest land which is furnished below-:

### Condition No. 1: Legal status of the forest land will remain unchanged.

The DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division has reported that the legal status of the forest land will remain unchanged.

## Condition No. 2: Tree felling not be permitted between FTL/FRL and 2/4 below FTL/FRL.

The DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division has reported that no tree felling will be done between FTL/FRL and 2/4 below FTL/FRL as intimated by the Executive Engineer, Kanpur Irrigation Project. In this regard, the User Agency has submitted an undertaking which is enclosed as **Annexure-3**.

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Condition No. 3: Compensatory Afforestation should be raised on equivalent non-forest land identified for this purpose should be handed over to the Forest Department and notified as PFs before the release of forest lands being diverted by these orders.

The DFO, Keonjhar Division has reported that the user agency had deposited Rs. 29,54,979/- with OFDC Ltd towards Compensatory afforestation proposed over 235.269 ha of Non-Forest land as per the scheme approved. The plantation has already been completed over the entire area by OFDC Ltd and handed over to DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division. The details of plantation undertaken by OFDC Ltd is furnished hereunder-:

Bhaliadal	12.000 ha	during	1991-92
Badektali	24.427 ha	during	1992-93
Basantapur	51.040 ha	during	1992-93
Jhinkipita	147.802 ha	during	1992-93
Total	235,269 ha		

The DFO, Keonjhar Division has also reported that the Non-forest area identified for the purpose for compensatory afforestation has already been transferred and mutated in the name of Forest Department. The copy of RoRs of the above four villages is enclosed as **Annexure-4**. Further, the Tahasildar, Banspal has been requested to provide boundary description & map of the allotted plot in Vill-Bhaliadal vide DFO, Keonjhar Division office letter No. 8576 dated 30.11.2021 & Letter No. 496 dated 19.01.2022. The DFO, Keonjhar Wildlife Division, Anandapur has also been requested to submit Draft PF Notification proposal of the allotted non-forest lands in village-Badakalimati, Basantpur & Jhinkipita vide DFO, Keonjhar Division office Memo No. 207 dated 10.01.2009 & 499 dated 19.01.2022. The PF notification proposal will be submitted by the DFO, Keonjhar Division on receipt of required information from the Tahasildar, Banspal soon.

## Condition No. 4: Tree Planting to be done on either side of the canal, road & foreshore of the reservoir and in the waste land/vacant land under the control of the Irrigation Project.

The DFO, Keonjhar Forest Division has reported that tree planting will be done on either side of the Canal, Road and Foreshore of the reservoir and in the waste land / vacant land under the control of the Irrigation Project. In this regard, the User Agency has submitted an undertaking which is enclosed as **Annexure-5**.

## Condition No. 5: Water to be supplied free of cost to the forest department for raising nursery & irrigation of forestry plantations in the command area.

In compliance to the above, the User Agency has submitted an undertaking which is enclosed as Annexure-6.

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Condition No. 6: In order that the construction labour & staff while working on the project in the forest area may not cause destruction to the forest area for seeking their fuel wood needs, the user agency will establish fuel wood depots and will provide the fuelwood to them free of cost or its cost deducted from their salary & wages.

In compliance to the above, the User Agency has submitted an undertaking which is enclosed as Annexure-6.

<u>Condition No. 7:</u> For artificial regeneration under irrigated conditions in the forest area, water from the canal should be made available on priority basis.

In compliance to the above, the User Agency has submitted an undertaking which is enclosed as Annexure-6.

Condition No. 8: An artificial regeneration should be carried out both sides of the canal.

In compliance to the above, the DFO, Keonjhar Division has reported that an artificial re-generation would be carried out both sides of the Canal. In this regard, the User Agency has submitted an undertaking which is enclosed at **Annexure-6**.

Condition No. 9: In the catchment area and in the areas through which the canal is aligned soil conservation measures should be taken up.

In compliance to the above, the DFO, Keonjhar Division has reported that in the catchment area and in the areas through which the Canal is aligned soil conservation measures would be taken up. In this regard, the User Agency has submitted an undertaking which is enclosed at **Annexure-5**.

Condition No. 10: In the forest area falling under the submergence area, the artificial regeneration (Auriculiformis) has been done in the past and it should be properly evaluated. After such evaluation, its outturn should be added to that to timber and firewood arrived at initially at the time of submission of the proposal for realization of the revenue from the user agency to the forest department.

In compliance to the above, the DFO, Keonjhar Division has reported that as per records available in his office, no artificial re-generation (Auriculiformis) has been done in the past within the submergence area.

This is for kind information and necessary action.

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully,

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (FD & NO, FC Act)

/Dt. 11.02.2022 Memo No.

Copy along with one set of compliance forwarded to the Special Secretary to Government, Forest, Environment & Climate Change Department, Odisha, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action with reference to FE&CC Department Letter No. 18915/FE&CC dated 28.10.2021.

Encl: As above

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Memo No. 2796 /Dt. 11.02.2022 Copy forwarded to the Divisional Forest Officer, Keonjhar Forest Division for information and necessary action.

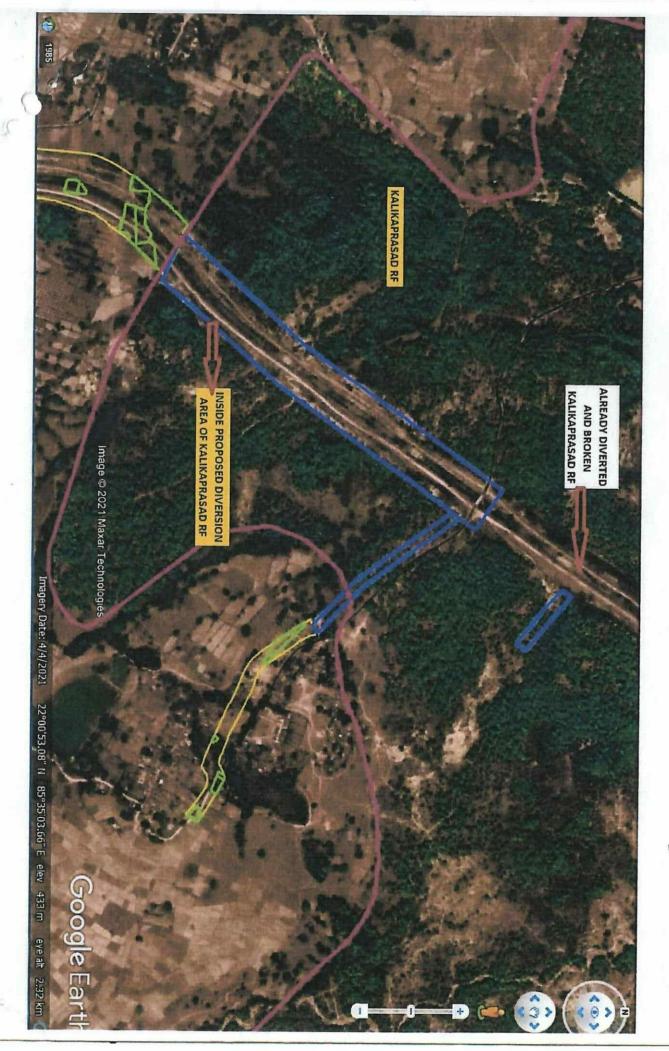
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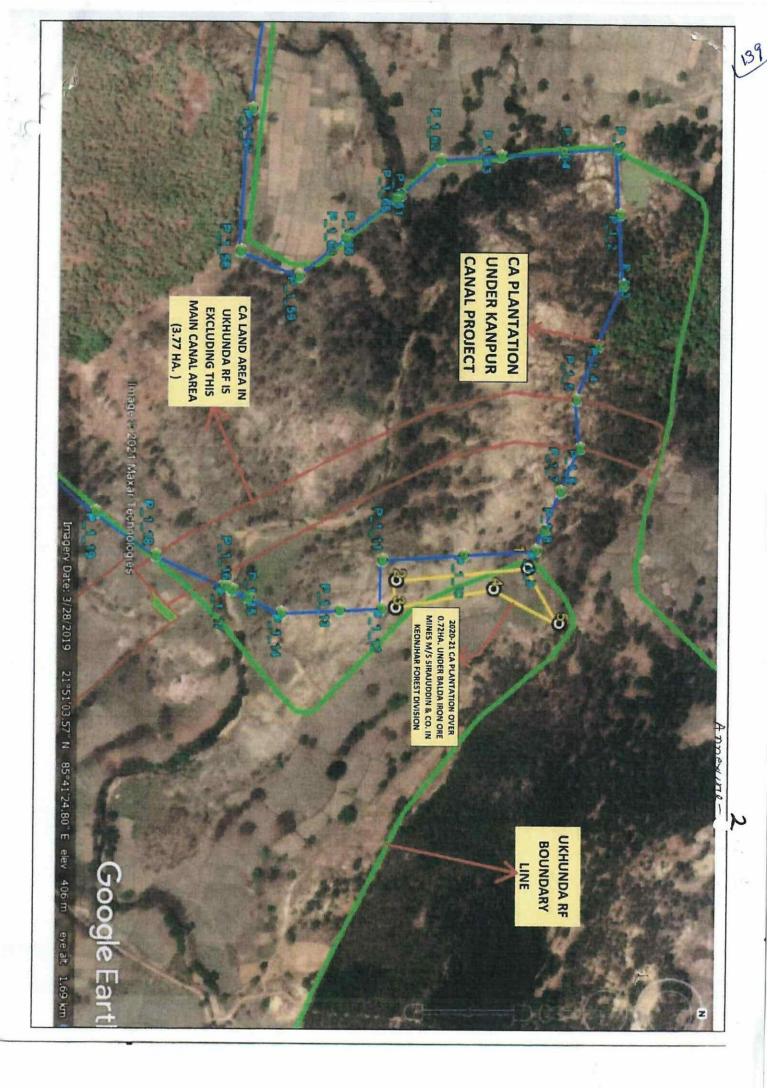
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Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (FD & NO, FC Act)







Annexure-

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Office of the Superintending Engineer, Kanupur Head Works Division,Basudevpur Email:<u>eekhwdbpur1990@gmail.com</u>

Letter No. -

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Date 03 02 2022

To

The Divisional Forest Officer Keonjhar Forest Division Keonjhar.

Sub:- Submission of undertaking regarding:- Kanupur Irrigation Project.

Ref:- Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Bhubaneswar Memo No- 1261 dt. 21.01.22.

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, it is to state that joint enumeration of trees in 14 villages coming under submerged/ partially submerged villages of Kanupur Irrigation Project have been completed. Tree felling has not been done so far.

In this regard, it is to undertake that :-

 The tree felling will not be done within F.R.L and 4.00M below FRL i.e. from RL 436.00M to 440.00M coming under submerged reservoir area of Kanupur Irrigation Project.

2. Soil conservation measures will be taken up in the catchment area.

 Tree planting will be done on either side of the periphery roads, foreshore of the reservoir and in the waste land / vacant land of the project after completion of the reservoir.

Yours falthfully,

Superintending Engineer Kanupur Head Works Division, Basudevpur, Keonjhar

Memo No 169 Dated 03/02/2022-

Copy submitted to the Chief Construction Engineer, Kanupur Irrigation Project Basudevpur for information and necessary action.

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## UNDERTAKINGS

I, Sn Ranjan Rashmi Nayak, Superintending Engineer, Kanupur Canal Division No-I, Jhumpura under Kanpar Irrigation Project, is here to undertake to do the following conditions-

Conditions No. 4.

Tree planting will be done on either side of the canal, and in the waste land Ivacant land under the control of the Irrigation Project just after completion of the canal system.

Conditions No. 8-

An artificial re-generation under irrigated conditions will be carried out both sides of the canal and water from the canal will be made available on priority basis.

Conditions No. 9-

In the areas through which canal is aligned soil conservation measures will be taken up.

Superintending Engineer, Kanpur Canal Division No-I Jhumpura

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Divisional Forest Officer

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### UNDERTAKINGS

- I, Sri Ranjan Rashmi Nayak, Superintending Engineer, Kanupur Canal Division No-L. Jhumpura under Kanpur Irrigation Project, is here to undertake to do the following conditions-
  - Conditions No. 5- Water to be supplied free of cost to the forest department for raising nursery & irrigation of forestry plantations in the command area.
  - Conditions No. 6- Construction labourers & staffs while working on the project in the forest area may not cause destruction to the forest area.
  - Conditions No. 7- Artificial regeneration under irrigated conditions in the forest area, water from the canal should be made available on priority basis.
  - Conditions No. 8- Artificial regeneration should be carried out on both sides of the canal.

Divisional Forest Office Keonjhar Division

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Superintending Engineer, Kanpur Canal Division No-I Jhumpura